## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CORNELIUS TAYLOR, :

Plaintiff, :

:

v. : CIVIL ACTION NO. 20-CV-4686

:

SGT. HALL, et al.,

Defendants. :

## **ORDER**

AND NOW, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2020, upon consideration of Cornelius Taylor's Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 5), Prisoner Trust Fund Account Statement (ECF No. 6), and *pro se* Amended Complaint (ECF No. 7), it is **ORDERED** that:

- 1. Leave to proceed in forma pauperis is **GRANTED** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.
- 2. Cornelius Taylor, #MH-5213, shall pay the full filing fee of \$350 in installments, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b), regardless of the outcome of this case. The Court directs the Superintendent of SCI Houtzdale or other appropriate official to assess an initial filing fee of 20% of the greater of (a) the average monthly deposits to Taylor's inmate account; or (b) the average monthly balance in Taylor's inmate account for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of this case. The Superintendent or other appropriate official shall calculate, collect, and forward the initial payment assessed pursuant to this Order to the Court with a reference to the docket number for this case. In each succeeding month when the amount in Taylor's inmate trust fund account exceeds \$10.00, the Superintendent or other appropriate official shall forward payments to the Clerk of Court equaling 20% of the preceding month's income credited to Taylor's inmate account until the fees are paid. Each payment shall refer to the docket number for this case.

- 3. The Clerk of Court is directed to **SEND** a copy of this Order to the Superintendent of SCI Houtzdale.
  - 4. The Complaint and Amended Complaint are **DEEMED** filed.
- 5. Taylor's Amended Complaint is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** as time-barred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(ii) for the reasons stated in the Court's Memorandum.
  - 6. The Clerk of Court shall **CLOSE** this case.

**BY THE COURT:** 

s/ Michael M. Baylson

MICHAEL M. BAYLSON, J.